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From Frozen-Thawed Embryo

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the time to submit a response to the Office Action mailed October 8, 2003 be extended by one month to February 8, 2004. The \$55.00 fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1) is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Docket No. A-70899/RFT/THR/469145-1).

Respectfully submitted,

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